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ELECTIONS AND OYSTERS.

Spirit of the Valley declares that proposed constitutional amendthat have been recently pubfor the information of the peo-I not be voted on by the people ovember, but will have to pass and we suspect that the Spirit this year, and for that reason

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AWAKING TO THE TRUTH.

Long before the issue as to trusts ecame so emergent we had called attention to the object lessons taught by the consolidation and combination of rallroads, and the government control and management of no few railroads by receivers, appointed by State or Federal courts. We held that the suc-cess of both the combination of railroads and of the government control and management of them demonstrated ow government can control and manage railroads and all other enterprises that only require skilled managers. under honest and efficient supervision and the inevitable tendency must be increased government control and management of public enterprises, with the further inevitable effect of proving the fallacy and falsehood of the stock clap-trap usually employed against sothe people to the public direction of left exclusively to individuals, and showing them how much better by the consolidation of railroads, &c., it would be for the whole transportation of the country to become unified under one control and management for public

The same general object lesson was but the more strongly and widely illustrated when trusts rushed to the capture of the country and all its industries and interests, and the Virginian-Pilot was the first newspaper of the Union to show this and call attention to it; emphasizing the remarkable fact that it was they who were most inimical to socialism and communism who were pursuing a course that at once established the material benefits of communism and socialism, and forced men to turn to them in selfdefence as a sure refuge.

It was a long while before our views received any second from any quarter, and then Harper's Weekly and the Springfield Republican almost simultaneously published editorials taking the same grounds as to the commu nishic tendency of trusts that the Virginian-Pilot so long urged with all its might; and now the Cleveland (Ohio)

incomparison of the people with the potent of the voted on by the people of the part of the potent of the popular approval or really we suspect that the Spirit and that we have been misothers, by too readily accept statements made by, some of temporaries. But, indirectly, for can vote on these amendithe General Assembly to be in the General Assembly to be consulted as the General Assembly to be defend them lest legislation designed to uproot such monopoiles shall go far toward State control of all business, or else they end by being led to accept socialism as the only means of putting a story to the exactions of private corporations. In one way or another the consulted as the formation of the times.

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"The men who have organized and created the trusts have the utmost horror of every form of socialism, but they are the best friends, in bringing about practical results, that the socialists have ever found." That is a strong and clear statement

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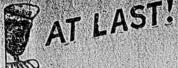
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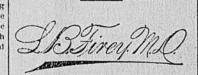
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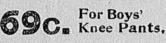
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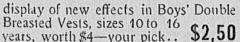
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